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Claim 1 is amended to recite a base structure; this is supported in the specification at page 9, line 5. The specification is amended and Figs. 4-5 are amended to denote this feature by reference numeral 50.

In the specification and claims, the "air pressure spindle" 2 is renamed to be the "air pressure protection bearing" 2.

Claim 2 is supported in the ending of paragraph 2 of the Detailed Description. Claim 6 is supported in Fig. 7.

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